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Subject: Request for Extension on EPA Comments on Draft BHHRA Tables

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## Chip and Kristine:

The LWG is in receipt of your letter dated April 11, 2011, that provides comments on the draft Baseline Human Health Risk Assessment tables related to the combined adult and child scenarios, evaluation of PBDEs, and breast milk scenarios. The LWG provided these draft tables to EPA on March 17, 2011.

Some of EPA's comments on these tables are directive. The LWG's Order with EPA requires the LWG to notify EPA that is disputing directive comments from EPA within 14 days of receipt of the direction (in this case, April 28, 2011). The LWG respectfully requests a two-week extension to the dispute deadline so we can adequately evaluate these comments. If approved by EPA, this will set May 9, 2011 as the dispute deadline.

## Thanks,

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